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In re application of: Won Tai Choi	)	SYSTEM AND METHOD
	)	FOR AUTOMATICALLY
	)	INFORMING INTERNET USERS
	)	OF OTHER USERS HAVING
	)	SIMILAR INTERESTS IN VIRTUAL
	)	SPACE
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# PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the subject application as follows:

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please insert the following paragraph at the beginning of the application before the FIELD OF THE INVENTION:

## -- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims the priority of Korean patent application Serial No. 2000-51106 filed on August 31, 2000. --

#### REMARKS

Please amend the above identified application by inserting priority information as set forth above.

Respectfully submitted,

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